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MATERIAL PRODUCTION INSTALLATION

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In response to the enclosed "Notice to File Missing Parts," dated July 19, 2004, submitted herewith is the duly executed DECLARATION and POWER OF ATTORNEY, along with a check in the amount of \$130.00 for the late filing of the Declaration.

Applicants herewith claim the benefit of priority of their earlier-filed application under the International Convention in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 119. Submitted herewith is certified copies of German application having the Serial No. 103 55 090.9, bearing the filing date of November 24, 2003, and German application having the Serial No. 103 23 108.0, bearing the filing date of May 20, 2003.

It is hereby requested that receipt of the priority document be acknowledged by the Patent Office.

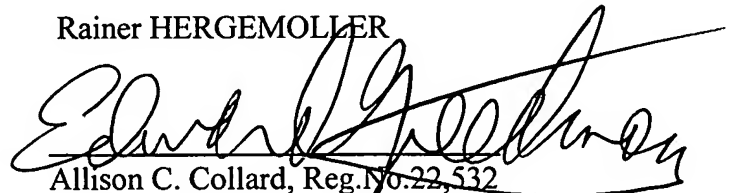
Also attached herewith are four (4) sheets of formal drawings encompassing FIGS. 1-9. It is respectfully requested that these figures 1-9 be substituted for the FIGS. 1-9 presently on file.

An Information Disclosure Statement is attached hereto.

Any fee deficiencies may be charged to deposit account 03-2468.

Respectfully submitted,

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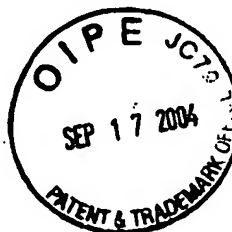


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*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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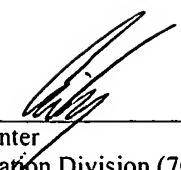
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